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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

ATTY.'S DOCKET: FISH 4

In re Application of:

Falk FISH

Serial No.: 09/763,415

Filed: May 16, 2001

For: METHOD AND KIT FOR THE
DETERMINATION OF...

) Art Unit: 1645

) Examiner: J.A. HINES

) Confirmation No. 9137

) Washington D.C.

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

In response to the Office Action of
September 25, 2002, for which a one-month extension of
time to respond is hereby requested, please enter the
following amendment:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 17, please amend the first paragraph
beginning on line 1 as follows:

In a micro-centrifuge ("Eppendorf" style) test
tube, 25 μ L of the above sample is mixed with 100 μ L of a
glucose oxidase, horseradish peroxidase mix, prepared
from the enzyme capsule in Sigma Chemicals colorimetric
glucose test kit (cat # 510-A or 510-DA). Following 10
minutes incubation at room temperature (18-30°C), a
hundred μ L of 1:1 diluted Pierce (Rockford, IL, USA)
POWERSIGNAL™ Luminol/Enhancer (derived from cat # 37075)